

Name Viking Honor Students

At a recent High School meeting the 1954 Valedictorians and Salutatorian were announced.



Carol Miksell



Carolyn Deyett



Joan Andrews

Carol Miksell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miksell; and Carolyn Deyett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilman Deyett were named Valedictorian and Co-Valedictorian while Joan Andrews, daughter of Mrs. Grace Andrews was named Salutatorian.

Carol, a four year student of Grayling High School has been active in the Glee Club, took part in the Senior Play and is at present on the year book staff. In her junior year she represented Grayling at Wolverine Girl State.

Carolyn transferred from Eaton High School of Eaton, Ohio last fall. Before coming to Grayling she was active in band, Glee Club and orchestra, was a cheerleader and active in other school activities. This year she has been active in band, Glee Club and took part in the Senior Play.

Joan, the daughter of Mrs. Grace Andrews, has been a member of the band and Glee Club for four years. She has also served as librarian, took part in the Junior Play and is a member of the year book staff.

Other students ranking in the upper 25% of the class are: Sandra Strong, Carolyn Long, Roger Kessler, Tom Karney, Sylvia Robertson, Margaret Moore and John Jackson.

Entertains Varsity At Dinner Party

Grayling High School Varsity basketball team, their managers, Mr. Gibbons and James Bond and Coach Bruce Smith and Arthur Allen were guests at a dinner at Wirt's Long Pine Inn, Wednesday evening of last week. Maurice Parker was the genial host. This was a very fine gesture on the part of Mr. Parker, and those present were very appreciative of his kind hospitality.

Immunization Clinic Today, April 22

An Immunization Clinic will be held at the Court House in Grayling on April 22 at 10:00 A. M. Children who have not been previously immunized and have reached 3 months of age should begin their immunizations. Infants in this early age group should be immunized with three immunizing doses for the prevention of Diphtheria, Tetanus, and Whooping Cough. Clinics will be held in May and June to complete these immunizations. Children who have not had booster doses for two years should receive booster doses and children in the older age groups who have not been vaccinated for smallpox a period of five years should

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Grayling Golf Club Seeks Renewal Of Corporation

The Grayling Golf Club through its present president, Robert F. Neafie, filed intention of renewing its corporation status when it expires on April 14, 1955.

Corporations must file such intention one year prior to the expiration of the corporation charter or go all through the legal channels completely to receive corporation status from the state. The original corporation was formed on April 14, 1925 for thirty years and was signed by T. W. Hanson as president, H. A. Bauman as vice-president, Addison Lewis, secretary and Marius Hanson, treasurer. These four men served as the club's board of directors. The application for corporation was notarized by Emil Giegling.

Present officers of the club are:

Robert Neafie, president; Charles D. Piper, vice-president and Nels Olson, secretary and treasurer.

The proposal to renew the corporation received more than a two-thirds vote of the club members.

The club membership stands now at 85 persons.

RITES READ FOR MRS. ALICE MCNEAL

Funeral services were held at the Sorenson Funeral Home Friday afternoon, April 16th at two o'clock for Mrs. Alice McNeal of Frederic: Elder L. W. Hyde officiated. Special music was furnished by Mrs. Hyde and her sister. Burial was in Oakwood Cemetery, Frederic. Serving as pallbearers were Jack Bigham, Cleo Hinkle, Harry Horton, Glen Kimball and Lloyd Eversen.

Mrs. McNeal was born in Lapeer, Michigan on June 26, 1882. Following her marriage to William McNeal in Milan, Illinois, they moved to Oklahoma to make their home. Following her husband's death there, Mrs. McNeal returned to Michigan and made her home with her daughter in Flint, moving with her to Frederic about two years ago. She had been in failing health for eight months and succumbed on Tuesday, April 13, at the Chelton Convalescent Home, Gaylord, where she was a patient.

She was a member of the Baptist Church and had always lived a Christian life. She was better known in Frederic as Grandma McNeal.

Surviving are a son and daughter, Mrs. Ella Loford of Frederic and Fred McNeal of Oxnard, Calif.; 12 grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren. Two sons predeceased her in death.

Among those here to attend the services was Wilford Chamberlin of Cedar Lake and Mrs. Margaret Hyde of Ypsilanti.

INFANT SUCCUMBS

Yvonne Carol Ritenburg, nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Ritenburg (Irene Goodall) of Grand Rapids, succumbed very suddenly at Mercy Hospital on Sunday, April 18th. Services were held Tuesday afternoon at one o'clock at the Sorenson Funeral Home. The Rev. R. C. Puffer officiated and interment was in Elmwood Cemetery. Surviving the infant besides her parents are a three-year-old sister and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Goodall of Fletcher.

County Welfare To Get Surplus Commodities

Crawford County Welfare recipients will soon be receiving surplus food commodities. Mr. Cerveny of the Federal Surplus Commodities Division, Chicago area office and Russell Hanna of the State Surplus Commodity Department of Lansing met with the County Welfare Board and the County Supervisors last week and outlined the program. It was approved by both the Board and the Supervisors. The County Welfare office will handle the program within the county.

Those eligible to receive the surplus commodities are those receiving aid to dependent children, old age recipients, disabled, blind and county direct relief cases.

There are seven commodities on the list. They are canned beef and gravy, butter, cheese, powdered milk, shortening, potatoes and navy beans. The various townships within the county will be notified as to the day on which delivery will be made to each township hall, it was said.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koppenek and children of Saginaw spent the week end visiting Mrs. Paul LaBrash and Mrs. Edwin Pratt.

Anita Sam Carter and Anna Schreiber spent the Easter weekend at Menistiquie visiting with Arlene Bonnifis. While there they visited with Arlene's friends and relatives and also enjoyed stopping off to see "The Big Spring."

Mrs. J. L. Martin is in action at Mercy Hospital as the result of falling down the basement stairs at her home Monday injuring her back.

Our Weather

(Courtesy Fish Hatchery)

April	High	Low
13	68	40
14	73	46
15	51	36
16	58	38
17	55	20
18	58	35
19	60	37
20	—	—

(Courtesy, Geo. Schaeble)

April

Mixed	Snow	On
Snow etc.	Fall	Grd
12	—	trace
13	—	trace
14	26	trace
15	68	trace
16	—	trace
17	—	trace
18	—	trace
19	—	trace
20	—	trace

Fisherman's Special

Sunday, April 25
Masses at 5:30, 8:30, 10:30
St. Mary's Church

"Luck Bucks" In Grayling

Residents of Michigan's bigger cities have been going "daffy" over a novel way to pick up a few extra dollars in late months. The scheme is called "Lucky" Bucks" and now the people of Crawford County and this area can have fun playing the game too.

The Clough Sport Shop has instituted the game with a little different twist. You receive merchandise credit instead of actual cash. You don't have to buy a thing, not even a paper. You just need the "lucky buck" with the lucky serial number on it. If you have it in your pocket or purse, just take it up to Clough's Sport Shop and buy \$10 in merchandise for it. There are absolutely no strings attached, if you have the "Luck Buck" you're the lucky winner. See the advertisement on page 3 of this issue.

Kiwanis Club Notes

Fred Beckman, Scout executive of the Summer Trails Council, Bay City, was the speaker at Monday night's meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling held at the Lone Pine Inn. He was introduced by Russell Carlson who was in charge of the program.

Mr. Beckman told the club of the plans to start construction almost immediately of a Boy Scout camp on Bear Lake, west of Grayling. Several permanent buildings will be constructed this year with more to follow each year thereafter. About 500 Scouts will be at the camp this summer with the capacity of the camp increasing to 2,000 throughout the several sessions each summer as the camp is increased in size.

Conservation — Commissioner George A. Griffith, who is an honorary member of the club, told of plans to lease some state-owned land on Howes Lake, west of Grayling to the Grayling Boy Scouts who intend to build a small troop-sized camp on it.

Local Attorney Talks To Class

Charles E. Moore, Prosecuting Attorney for Crawford County spoke to the Occupations class of Grayling High School on the subject of the legal profession as a career. He outlined the advantages and disadvantages of the occupation as well as pointing out benefits to society. At the close of his talk, Mr. Moore answered questions raised by the members of the class concerning law as a life work.

This is the first of a series of talks given by local men in an attempt to acquaint the members of the occupations class with different occupations represented in Grayling.

FREDERIC INTERMEDIATE GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Ten Intermediate Girl Scouts of Troop one met at the school house Tuesday, April 13th with their leader, Mrs. Wesley Smith and assistant leader, Mrs. Kenneth Newberry.

We are planning a hike for May 1st.

A few of us got our Girl Scout hand books and we hope that soon each girl will own her own hand book.

Judy Johnson,
News Reporter.

BITS O' TALK

Derek McEvers was home from Marquette spending Easter vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McEvers.

The Ted Davenports of Mt. Pleasant were here spending the Easter vacation with their parents, the Dick Thompsons.

Roy Milnes, Jr., of Rose City spent the week end with his parents.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook and son, John, were in Bay City Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hugh Cooks father.

The Rolla Fallings were hosts to the Q. C. Club at a home dinner Sunday evening. The Leo Lovells won the door prize.

Mrs. C. O. Papke is visiting her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clement.

Lloyd Failing and Jim Parkinson drove Lloyd's sister, Mrs. Carolyn Mead to Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Sunday where she was met by her husband and continued on to her home at Ft. Knox, Ky. She and little daughter, Becky, had spent two weeks visiting her parents, the Rolla Fallings.

Herbert W. Wolff, Jr., returned Thursday after spending several days in New York City visiting his mother who has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jones and family of Eagle and Mrs. and Mrs. Carl Sorenson of Lansing spent Easter weekend here visiting the Robert Sorensons, William LaGrove and Mrs. Carl Sorenson.

Mrs. William Martin and son, Bill, spent a couple of days in Inkster this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradley and Lois spent the week end in Napoleon, Ohio, visiting their daughter and family, the Fred Westerholms.

Mrs. Anne Nelson and Miss Elizabeth of Grand Rapids spent

the weekend at the home of

the deceased.

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WANT ADS

Chain Saws
elite, Lombard and Titan
chain saws for rent. Clarence
Linden, Grayling. Phone 2563.
5-1-11 ft.

INK'S PLUMBING SHOP — 8
iles north of Roscommon on
US-27. Free estimates,
plumbing material and fixtures,
old pumps. Briggs Beauty
are. Frank L. Millikin, Route
Roscommon, Mich. Phone
Grayling 3411 or 4351. 6-8 if

THE NOTED — "Fringe area"
division receiver by Sylvana
the B-C-D Company, 308
Michigan Avenue. Phone 3531.
3-5 if

L M J MARSHALL for crane
and bulldozer work, concrete
pouring, concrete or road gravel,
mortar and fill sand. Phone
381, 405 McClellan. on US-27.
5-10 if

TWO BEDROOM HOME
FOR SALE — Cinderblock con-
struction. Completely modern,
automatic oil heat (hot air) and
water heater, kitchen and utility
room combination. Tile floors,
two lots. LeRoy Mathews,
phone 4306. 18 if

FOR SALE — Modern cottage on
Lake Margrethe. Completely furnished;
two bedrooms, fireplace, gas heat, garage.
\$7,500 with terms. R. F.
Neafie, Broker, Grayling,
Mich. 15-22

R SALE — Tailor shop build-
ing, 218 Alger St., and the house
next to the shop. See A. E.
Jendrickson, the Tailor. 8-15-22

BY FINANCING — On home
improvements through Allied
Builders Credit Budget plan. No
own payment, up to three years
to pay. Water heaters and pump-
plumbing and wiring with both
materials and labor financed.
B-C-D Company, 308 Michigan
Ave. Phone 3531. 3-25 if

W AND USED — Auto parts for
most makes and model cars
tires and batteries. Hi-Way
Auto Parts, 5 miles south of
Grayling on US-27. 5-28 if

TICE — Don's Radio Shop now
open at 403 Peninsular, former-
ly Clinton Radio. We handle
Inco antenna, also Big Joe, Par-
and Conicals. We also have
powers and rotors or anything
for TV installation. We will in-
stall complete installations. We
also service your TV's and radio
sets. Don's Radio Shop. Phone
3896. Open evenings. 3-11 if

JING — Handsaws, axes, knives
and lawn mowers sharpened.
Ed Bowen, 704 Ionia St. Phone
3411. 6-11 if

R SALE — Farmall Tractor
with Plow and chains. One
wire recorder, like new. Spike
4-1-11 if

LLIKIN BROTHERS — Floyd
and LeRoy. Crane and bul-
ldozer work. Road building. 8
miles south of Grayling on M-6.
Apr. 15 if

R SALE — Kitchen gas range
one year old. Thane Hender-
not. Old Lake Road. 22

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**KE AND WOODLAND PRO-
PERTY** — Now is the time to sell
your farm, lake or woodland
property through the new sales
and service program launched
by INSIDE MICHIGAN Maga-
zine in co-operation with an ap-
proved realtor in your territory
real estate advertised in monthly
issues of INSIDE MICHIGAN

reprinted in a brochure which
is mailed to hundreds of pros-
pective buyers in Michigan,
Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. For
details of this real estate sales
and service program, write IN-
SIDE MICHIGAN SERVICE,
46 Free Press Bldg., Detroit 26,
Mich. 22

R SALE — Used large sized
bathtub. Also Thayer Walker-
Stroller. Call Olson's Shoe
Store. Call Olson's Shoe
Store.

PLICATIONS are being taken
now for waitresses, cooks and
other kitchen help. Apply, Au-
table Restaurant, Grayling,
Michigan. 22

ANTED TO RENT — Two or
more bedroom modern house in
or near Grayling. Call Gray-
ling 4711 week days before 5:00
P. M., or Gaylord 1055 collect
week ends or after 5. 22

**R RIVIERA BUICK ROAD-
MASTER FOR SALE** — Clean
and in good condition. Phone
022. 22

ICE BOXES FOR SALE —
cheap. DeCaire's Cabin, 505
Lyd Street. Phone 4641, City
22

R SALE — 9 room house, 21/2
lots and garage. Easily con-
verted to a 2 family; also oak
dining room suite. Elmer
Greenwell, 104 Vilas, City. 22

R SALE — 1 Hercules 160 amp
welder; 200 amp Hobart port-
able welder. Steel Trailer, new
tires. Filing cabinets, 3 draw-
ers and 4 drawer. National Elec-
tric cash register. Grayling Air
Service. Phone 4241.
April 22 if.

DRIVER SALESMAN WANTED
— Grayling Bottling Co. 22
SMALL PIANO OR ORGAN
WANTED — Leave replys at
Avalanche Office
FOR SALE — 4 ft. x 6 ft. Thermal
pane window glass. Perfect
condition. Bargain for quick
sale. Phone 3111. April 8 if

Frederic News

A motion picture in color on
"Athletic Injuries—Their Preven-
tion and Care," with head trainees
of leading universities in all parts
of the country demonstrating their
skill, will be shown to coaches,
trainers and members of athletic
teams at Frederic High School on
Tuesday, April 21.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Allen and son,
Freddie, left early Thursday to
visit Dale and wife in Norfolk,
Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Melroy at-
tended church at the Michelson
Memorial Church at Grayling
Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Barber,
Sr., and sons of Flint spent Easter
at the home of his parents, the C.
S. Barbers, also Mrs. Esther Roth
of Pontiac, Mich.

Mrs. Al Hunt and Mrs. J. Loud
were callers at the C. S. Barber
home.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Hunt of De-
troit spent the weekend at their
home here. Glad to see our friends
and neighbors again.

Mr. and Mrs. James Payne and
son, Jimmie of Bay City spent
Easter with Mr. Payne's mother,
Jackie Bindschadler, got home
Sunday, after two weeks of training
in Grand Rapids with his new
appliance for his arm.

Miss Reta Barber spent the week
end with her parents, the Elroy
Barbers.

Gilbert Cram had the cast re-
moved from his leg last Saturday
but will be home convalescing for
two weeks yet.

The Albert Madills spent Easter
visiting relatives in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Small spent
a few days last week in Ithaca.

At Mrs. Alma Smock's it
Easter were Mr. and Mrs. Bob
Knox and family, Mr. and Mrs.
Junior Gearhardt and family of
Saginaw.

The Sophomore and Freshman
classes of Frederic HI are giving a
play entitled "The Terror" on
April 29th, 8:00 P. M. School gym.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Monschan of
St. Clair Shores, Mich., were up
visiting Mr. and Mrs. Art Mayer,
while building their home three
miles north of Frederic.

Mrs. Mary E. Dunkley had
company for Easter dinner. Mr.
and Mrs. Bob MacGregor and sons
of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Bernie
Hinkle and children, Mr. and Mrs.
Ken Bindschadler. The ladies are
the daughters of Mrs. Dunkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hinds and
Bobby Barber of Clare spent Sun-
day at the Elroy Barber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bertl, Jr.
and son, Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Wm.
Nowlin and son, Billy, of Ros-
common spent Sunday afternoon
at the Elroy Barber home.

Mr. and Mrs. Linda Stephan and
daughter, Chris, of Grayling visited
the former's mother, Mrs. Eureka
Stephan at her home down river.

Sorry to hear of the death last
week at Gaylord of Grandma Mc-
Neal. Her home was here in
Frederic.

Miss Mary Ellen Madill of Flint
was home for Easter. The Charles
Madill's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cram and
son of Flint were home for
Easter. He is son of the Gilbert
Crams.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Newberry
came home for Easter. They are
building a home in Independence,
Mo.

Fred Dunckley was in Traverse
City Saturday on business.

Glad to hear Mrs. E. A. Corsaut
has been released from Mercy
Hospital. Hope your soon well,
Margaret.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stephan and
family of Grayling visited the Gil-
bert Crams.

Lovells News

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Brand
were up from Detroit to their
Mar-G-Bar summer home on
"Shu-Pac" Saturday, returning to
Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lake and
children spent Easter with the
latter's mother, Mrs. Fred Herric.
The children attended our Sunday
school session so enjoyed the egg
hunt with the rest.

Mrs. Bessie Kellogg is back to
her home down river after spending
the winter months among her where their home is.

children. As an Easter gift her
son, Bob, was home and presented
her with a fine T. V. set. Glad to
have you back with us, Bessie.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Brazier, San-
dus and two little friends all from
Royal Oak spent Easter here at
their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Persall and
daughter, Pamalee of Bay City
spent Easter with her parents and
husband, the Tom Morris.

The Bill Koernke family and
also the Fred Koernke family en-
joyed Easter day with their par-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Koernke.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Koernke re-
turned last week from a vacation
among relatives and friends down
state.

Mrs. J. Gould of St. Charles,
Mich., and her son, Agar and wife
Florence of Grand Rapids spent
a few days at Mrs. Gould's cabin
last week.

Jake Stillwagon was home with
his family over the week end.
Mrs. J. Stillwagon has moved
back to her home down river after
residing in Mid during the winter
months, where she and her daughter,
Jeanine were engaged in Mid
school.

Our deep sympathy goes out to
the family of Mrs. Ida Bills of
Saginaw, Mich., better known as
"Grandma Bills" in her passing
away last week. She was sure
one grand old lady, having reached
the ripe old age of 95, was very
active up until the past few
months and came to their cabin
every time with her sons and
friends and did her own work
always enjoying it and will be
greatly missed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Bine and daughter
of Detroit spent Easter with the
latters' parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Peder Olson on Shu-Pac Lake.
Doris and husband returned home
Sunday but the young ladies will
enjoy a little vacation with their
grandma and grandpa Olson.

Mrs. Maude Bremner is enjoy-
ing a visit at Cedar Springs with
relatives and friends there.

E. A. Patrick of Lovells is now
driving truck for Krumrei.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Douglas and
family, also Mr. and Mrs. James
Douglas enjoyed Easter Sunday
with the Douglas family here in
Lovells.

Maude Carroll still on the sick
list.

Our Chapel services were very
nice with neat program in the
morning Sunday school session
after which the children enjoyed
an egg hunt in the church yard.

Rev. D. Cleveland's sermon was
very fine and a fine attendance be-
ing present. There was an at-
tendance of 32 at Sunday school.

The Cheerful Givers Club met
last Thursday evening with Mrs.
Ethel Morris. Eleven ladies of
the club being present, all adorned
with their Easter bonnets.

Some very pretty, some unusually
clever. Mrs. Beatrice Patrick won
first prize for the prettiest one and
Mrs. Hazel Koernke the cleverest
one, which was made by decorating
a large sieve with different
vegetables. Next meeting will be
April 29th at the Club Room.

Mrs. Lottie Kurchenko drove to
Detroit Friday afternoon. She was
accompanied by Mrs. Ruth Caid
family in Adrian for over Easter.

Patsy Bunting was a patient
in Mercy Hospital all last week
having a tonsil operation. She is
home now and hope she soon will
be feeling fine.

Miss Emma Louise Poehlein of
Detroit gave a beautiful Easter
lily and also two others were
brought to make all the more impres-
sive and beautiful. All are
invited to attend these services at
chapel each Sunday.

We are very happy to have
Lewiston friends come so regularly
each Sunday to our services.

Mrs. Martha Haller of Lewiston
brought letter from Rev. Haz-
ard to be read, stating the death
of one of Lovells neighbors. Mr.
Leah Munn passed away very sud-
denly in a hospital at Kalamazoo
March 3rd. Mr. Munn was a
teacher in High school at Kalamazoo
and was taken ill while at
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time when death claimed him. He
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cially as they spent their vacations
here at their lovely new home on
Shu-Pac Lake. He and his bro-
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seasons here. He was a good
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the young folks. He taught our
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Lovells in the summer time espe-
cially as they spent their vacations
here at their lovely new home on
Shu-Pac Lake. He and his bro-
thers also enjoyed the deer hunting
seasons here. He was a good

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It's Unbelievable

Some years ago, when nuclear weapons were new and infinitely less destructive than those of today, the fear was often expressed that it might be possible to actually explode that part of the universe in which we live. The weight of scientific opinion was, and is, against that incredible concept. But progress—if that is the proper word for it—in nuclear development for war seems to have reached a point that few if any of us anticipated even a relatively short time back. The top physicists themselves have been surprised.

The March 1st test in the Pacific astonished the world. Secretary of Defense Wilson described it as "unbelievable" and said that the full details, which have not been made public, would "scare anybody." Chairman Strauss of the Atomic Energy Commission, speaking with Presidential authorization at a White House press conference, said that the blast was about double the expected size, but that it was never out of control and that the error made in prior calculations was "not incompatible with a totally new weapon."

How big was the blast? According to Time, "The test . . . makes all its predecessors, including the 1952 shot, look like a string of one-inch salutes. The force of the explosion probably exceeded ten megatons (500 Hiroshimas). It sent a radioactive cloud billowing to a height that may have exceeded 20 miles." Admiral Strauss also helped answer that question. He said the H-bomb can be made "as large as you wish . . . large enough to destroy any city." Asked specifically if this means that one of the bombs could destroy New York City, he said, "The metropolitan area, yes." He denied, however, the rumors that an island or a group of islands had been destroyed in either the March 1 or March 26 tests, adding, "It would be more accurate to

say a large sandpit or reef."

The most immediate repercussions came from Japan. Radioactive dust fell there, and a number of Japanese fishermen, whose trawler was not seen in the search made before the explosion, were injured. Some Japanese spokesmen demanded that the tests be stopped. But there seems to be small chance of that happening—they will go on, regardless of any criticism, so long as the world is in its present unhappy state of cold and hot conflict.

**In Grayling
23 Years Ago**

Interesting Items of News Gathered From the Files of the Avalanche of 23 Years Ago.

23 Years Ago — April 23, 1931

The Class of '32 has selected "Second-story Peggy" to present as their school play under the direction of Miss Norrine Berry of the English department. The cast includes Estella Larson, Marie Brown, Irene Randolph, Alice Mahonke, Brad Jarmain, Howard Schmidt, William Foley and Billy Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klatt celebrated their silver wedding anniversary on April 18 at the Sally Tea Room in Detroit. The daughter of Mrs. Johanna Hansen, she was married in Grayling to Mr. Klatt by Rev. A. C. Kildgaard.

William A. Sammons, age 46 years, passed away at his home of pneumonia following a few days illness. Surviving besides the widow Ella, is one daughter Mrs. Laura Welch and a son Wesley.

Russell Robertson has resumed his work at Grayling Fish Hatchery after having been laid off for several months.

Claud Barber, who has been in Russia, is expected to arrive home in a few days. He will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber in Roscommon.

Miss Fern Lovely, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lovely was united in marriage to Rollo Failing Saturday afternoon at St. Mary's rectory. Rev. Fr. J. L. Culligan officiating.

Much needed rain came Monday evening and continued 24 hours, and Wednesday a wet snowstorm added more moisture to the soil.

Mrs. Edwin Carlson and little daughter Donna Jane, born April 6th at Mercy Hospital were dismissed Monday and returned to their home in Roscommon.

Of interest to the bride's many Grayling friends is the announcement of the marriage of Miss Martha Bidvia to Mr. Thomas Speights of Detroit. The ceremony took place at the Baptist church in Toledo on April 11.

Mrs. Milford Hall was surprised Thursday evening when a number of her friends dropped in to remind her she was a year older.

Mrs. Adolph Peterson is enjoying a visit from her grandmother Mrs. Katie Raymond of West Branch, who is 83 years old.

John Murphy who has purchased a farm near Kalkaska and moved there has sold his home to Frank Sanders.

The Misses Bernice and Ruth Corwin entertained at a pretty shower for their sister Mrs. Carl Hanson. Besides other decorations the table was decorated with tiny pink and blue baby shoes which were used as nut cups.

Friends of Mrs. Carl Nielson entertained with a party at her honor at the home of Mrs. Leo

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4:45—Neighborhood Notes
5:00—Captain Video
5:15—Uncle Glen
5:30—Gene Autry
6:00—World News
6:15—Stars on Parade
6:45—Michigan News
6:45—Let's Look at the Weather
7:00—What 1 Person Can Do
7:15—Spotlight on Sports
7:30—Melody Roundup
8:00—Western Theatre
9:00—Paragon Playhouse
10:00—Medallion Theatre
10:30—Saturday Cinema
11:30—Sign Off

Sunday, April 23

7:35—Sign On
7:45—Lamp Unto My Feet
8:15—Michigan Conservation
8:30—You Are There
7:30—Life With Father
7:30—Private Secretary
8:00—Toast of the Town
9:00—Amos 'N' Andy
9:30—Break the Bank
10:00—Dollar's Second
10:30—WWTV Playhouse
11:30—Sign Off

Monday, April 24

4:15—Sign On
4:30—Baseball, Clef at Det.
4:00—Anything Goes
4:30—The Pastor
4:45—Neighborhood Notes
5:00—Captain Video
5:15—Uncle Glen
5:30—Hopalong Cassidy
6:00—World News
6:15—Robert Q. Lewis
6:45—Let's Look at the Weather
7:00—Marge and Jeff
7:15—Spotlight on Sports
7:30—Heart of the City
8:00—Waterfront
8:30—Wonderland Varieties
9:00—Play of the Week
9:30—Your Star Playhouse
10:00—Wrestling
11:00—World's Greatest Fighters

Tuesday, April 25

11:15—Sign Off

Wednesday, April 26

4:15—Sign On
4:30—Military Mailbag
4:45—Neighborhood Notes
5:00—Captain Video
5:15—Uncle Glen
5:30—Range Rider
6:00—World News
6:15—Robert Q. Lewis
6:45—Michigan News
6:55—Let's Look at the Weather
7:00—Marge and Jeff
7:15—Spotlight on Sports
7:30—Badge No. 714
8:00—Arthur Godfrey
8:30—Random Reels
9:00—What Goes On Here
9:30—Dangerous Assignment
10:00—WWTV Playhouse
11:00—Sign Off

Thursday, April 27

4:15—Sign On
4:30—Home Gardening
4:45—Neighborhood Notes
5:00—Captain Video
5:15—Uncle Glen
5:30—Don Winslow of the Coast Guard
6:00—World News
6:15—Robert Q. Lewis
6:45—Michigan News
6:55—Let's Look at the Weather
7:00—Marge and Jeff
7:15—Spotlight on Sports
7:30—Crown Theatre
8:00—Victory at Sea
8:30—Captured

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I wish to thank the doctors, Sisters and nurses of Mercy Hospital and all other personnel for the splendid care and thoughtfulness extended to me while I was a patient at the hospital. I also wish to thank my friends who sent flowers, gifts and cards and those who called.

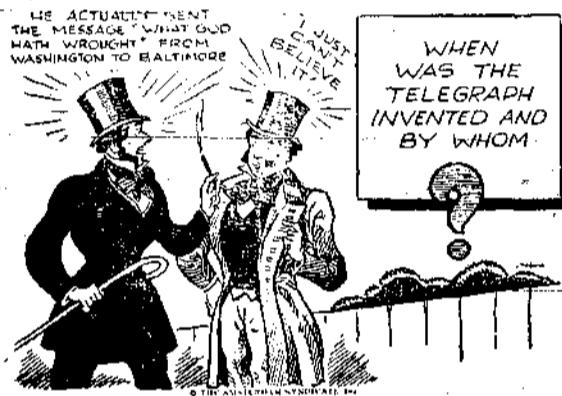
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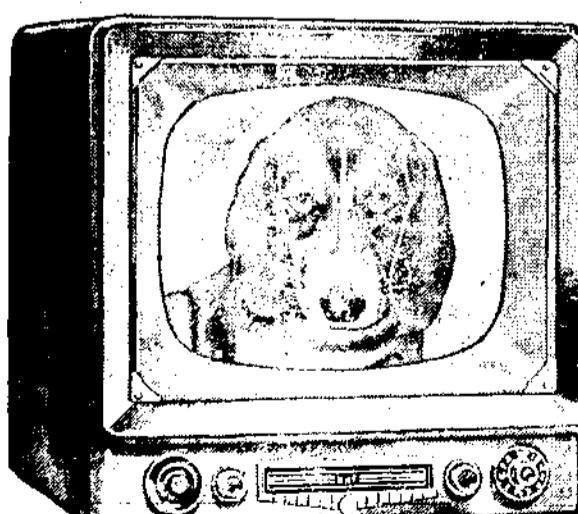
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School Building Bonds

Sealed bids for the purchase of general obligation bonds to be issued by School District No. 1, Township of Grayling, County of Crawford, Michigan, of the par value of \$202,000.00, will be received by the undersigned at the high school, Grayling, Michigan, on Thursday, the 29th day of April, 1954, until 8:00 o'clock P.M., Eastern Standard Time, at which time and place said bids will be publicly opened and read.

Said bonds will be dated May 1, 1954, will be coupon bonds in the denomination of \$1,000.00 each, will be numbered consecutively in the direct order of their maturities from 1 to 292, inclusive, will bear interest from their date at a rate or rates not exceeding four (4%) per cent per annum, expressed in multiples of 1/4 of 1%.

Said interest will be payable March 1, 1955, and semi-annually thereafter on September 1st and March 1st of each year, both principal and interest to be payable at a bank or trust company to be designated by the purchaser of the bonds.

Said bonds will mature serially as follows:

\$10,000.00 September 1st of each

of the years 1955 and 1956;

\$12,000.00 September 1, 1957;

\$15,000.00 September 1st of each year from 1958 to 1965, inclusive;

\$20,000.00 September 1st of each year from 1966 to 1972, inclusive.

Bonds of this issue numbered 1 to 122, inclusive, maturing in the years 1955 to 1963, inclusive, shall not be subject to redemption prior to maturity.

Bonds numbered 123 to 292, inclusive, maturing in the years 1964 to 1972, inclusive, may be redeemed prior to maturity, at the option of the District, in inverse numerical order, on any interest payment date in or after September 1, 1958.

Bonds called for redemption as above provided, shall be redeemed at par and accrued interest plus premium as follows:

\$30.00 on each bond called for redemption prior to September 1, 1960;

\$20.00 on each bond called for redemption on or after September 1, 1960, but prior to September 1, 1963;

\$15.00 on each bond called for redemption on or after September 1, 1963, but prior to September 1, 1966;

\$10.00 on each bond called for redemption on or after September 1, 1966, but prior to maturity of the bond.

Notices of redemption shall be given to the holders of the bonds to be redeemed by publication not less than thirty days prior to the date fixed for redemption at least once in a newspaper or publication circulated in the State of Michigan which carries, as part of its regular service, notices of sale of municipal bonds. No further interest payments on bonds so called for redemption shall accrue after the date fixed for redemption, whether presented for redemption or not, provided the School District has money available for such redemption with the paying agent.

For the purpose of awarding the bonds the interest cost of each bid will be computed by determining, at the rate or rates specified therein, the total dollar value of all interest on the bonds from May 1, 1954, to their maturity and de-

ducting therefrom any premium. The bonds will be awarded to the bidder whose bid on the above computation produces the lowest interest cost to the School District. Each bidder shall state in his bid the interest cost to the School District, computed in the manner above specified. No proposal for the purchase of less than all the bonds or at a price less than 100% of their par value will be considered.

The said bonds are payable from ad valorem taxes subject to such limitation on said taxing power as may result from the provisions of Section 21, Article X of the Michigan Constitution and the Michigan Property Tax Limitation Act.

A certified or cashier's check in the amount of \$6,000.00 drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company and payable to the order of the Treasurer of the School District, must accompany each bid as a guaranty of good faith on the part of the bidder to be forfeited if liquidated damages if such bid is accepted and the bidder fails to take up and pay for the bonds. No interest shall be allowed on the good faith checks, and checks of unsuccessful bidders will be promptly returned to each bidder's representative or by registered mail.

Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified opinion of Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone, attorneys of Detroit, Michigan, which opinion will be furnished without expense to the purchaser of the bonds prior to the delivery thereof, approving the legality of the bonds. The purchaser shall furnish bonds ready for execution at his expense. Bonds will be delivered without expense to the purchaser at a place to be designated by the purchaser.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

Envelopes containing the bids should be plainly marked "Proposal for Bonds."

Roy O. Milnes,
Secretary.

Dated, April 17, 1954.

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THE CALVARY BAPTIST MISSIONARY

The Calvary Baptist Missionary Group held the regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Roy McEvers on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Ted McEvers acted as co-hosts. There were fourteen ladies present. During the regular business meeting plans were made to have a work day on Thursday afternoon, starting at 1 o'clock, April 29, at the home of Mrs. Jerry McEvers. Sewing and mending will be the order of the day to benefit the John Aseline family of W. T. Bannister, Michigan, who will soon return to their missionary work with the Arabs. A special offering will also be taken and turned over in full to the Aseline family. All members and interested parties are urged to attend. Good used clean children's clothing, needed and used blankets will be most welcome. Plans were also made to welcome the mothers on their day, May 9. There will be special music, singing, and a gift for the oldest, youngest and the mother with the most children present.

The meeting was opened by prayer from Mrs. Hollie Luter and Mrs. Rhode ask the Lord's blessing on a lovely lunch that was enjoyed by all. All ladies interested in missionary work are most welcome to all of our meetings.

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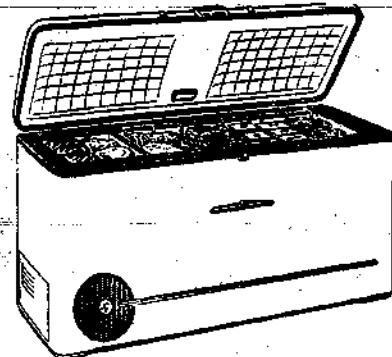
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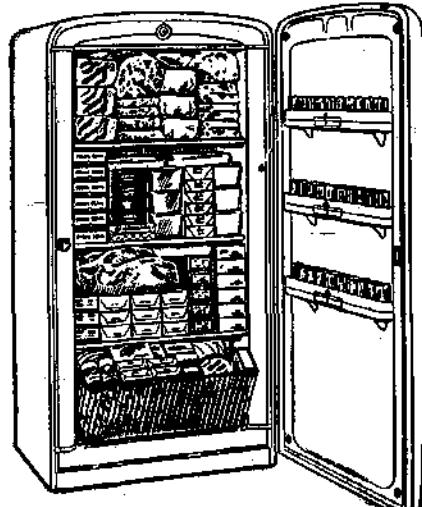
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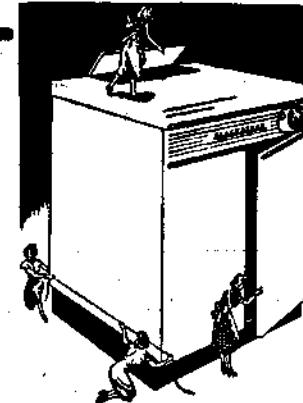
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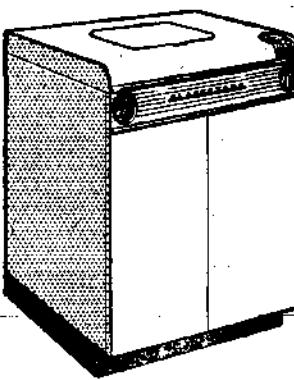
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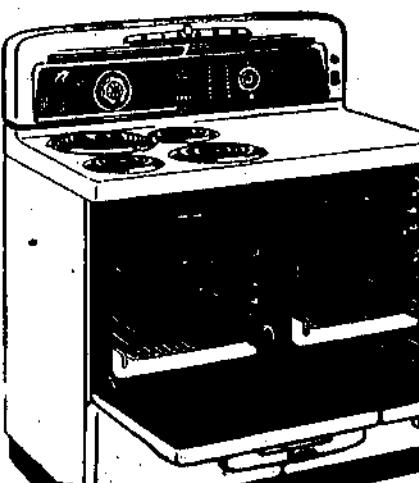
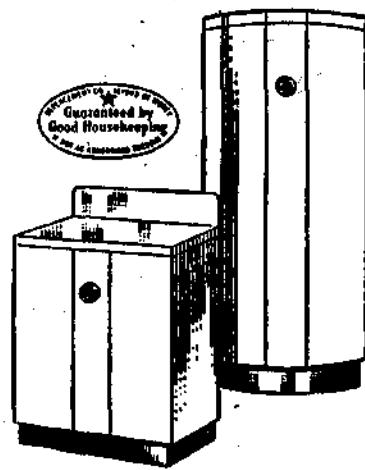
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BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hunter drove to Kalamazoo Wednesday and accompanied home their daughter, Miss Patty from Nazareth Academy and Miss Jean Lovely from the Nazareth School of Nursing. The young ladies are here for the spring vacation until April 25th.

Mrs. Henry Feldhauser and children of Alma spent most of last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sorenson. Mr. Feldhauser joined his family here for Easter and to accompany them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick visited Mr. and Mrs. Walt Bensen in Cadillac one day recently.

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his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith and the latter's mother, Mrs. James McNeven spent the Easter week in Lansing visiting their daughter, Mrs. Bennie Allen and family. Mrs. McNeven arrived recently from Muskegon, where she had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Stuart Jones, and will remain here indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bielski celebrated their silver wedding anniversary which fell on April 17 in Detroit, when they were honored with a family dinner given by the latter's sister, Mrs. Joseph Wolfe. Centering the dinner-table was a three-tiered anniversary cake topped with a silver bell and over the table hung a cluster of silver bells, and from it fell white ribbon streamers. The guests of honor were presented with a beautiful gift of silver from their relatives. The Bielskis were accompanied by their son, Marvin, who was also present at the festivities.

Alfred Hanson is matching the Detroit area Frigidaire dealers in giving you \$30.00 for your old washer on a new 1954 Frigidaire washer. This offer expires April 30th, 1954.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lutz, who have been residing in Holland have come to Grayling to make their home and the former has employment at the Atlas Plywood plant. They are making their home at present with the former's mother, Mrs. Alberta Lutz.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goss of Hartland stopped Wednesday of last week on their way to Paradise in the Upper Peninsula, and visited the former's brother, Oscar Goss and family.

Mrs. Dale Penny and children of Toledo, arrived Friday for a weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. San Carter and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Smith joined by their daughter, Mrs. Bennie Allen and daughter, Sherry, of Lansing and Miss Marcelle Gillespie of Hastings, drove to Fort Knox, Ky., on April 8th to visit their son, Pvt. Robert Smith, who expects to be shipped out for Germany soon.

Willard Harwood was home from Pontiac where he is employed visiting his family over Easter. Recent guests at the Harwood home were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Niner and children of Sanford, Mich.

Mrs. Charles Barber has returned home after a week spent in Pittsburgh, Pa., and was accompanied home by her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Charles R. Barber and little daughter, Carol Jeanne. The latter's husband arrived home Friday night joining them here and coming from Fort Knox, Ky., where he received his discharge from the service. He had served for two years in the anti-aircraft division of the army. The family will make their home in Grayling and at present are at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward and children of Berkeley were guests over Easter of Mrs. Ward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells.

Mrs. Perry Wells and daughter Vicki, are spending a couple of weeks here visiting her mother, Mrs. A. F. Doner. Mr. Wells after spending Easter here also visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wells, left on a business trip in the Upper Peninsula.

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Mrs. Robert Ziebell is enjoying a visit from her sister, Mrs. Carrie Christian of Lansing, who came Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Rulkowski had a houseful of guests for Easter dinner at their home. Their son, Louis, wife, and daughter, Gail Louis of Detroit, were here over the week end and with other members of their family and relatives of Grayling made up a crowd of 20 who sat down to a family dinner.

Houghton Lake O. E. S. Chapter held Friends Night Thursday and Mrs. Eugene Papendick was invited to act as worthy matron.

Pearl Leverton.

and Mrs. June Taylor as organist and soloist. These ladies were accompanied by Mrs. Clarence Roberts, Mrs. Russell Carlson, Mrs. William Jenson and Mrs. Clayton Straelby.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Roberts and Wm. Lauri of Lovells were in Grand Rapids for the day Monday of last week.

The interior of Hunter's Dairy Bar is being redecorated.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Akers and family of Manton spent the week end visiting his father, Perry Akers.

Calvary Baptist Church News

Sunday school attendance was down to 81 Sunday with 43 Bibles. Mrs. Niederer's class of 28 was the largest. Mrs. Underwood's class all had their Bibles again.

Sheila Ryan and Mrs. Bob Niederer had birthdays the past week.

We were very happy to have Mrs. Ed Sturdivant and her family in Sunday school.

Bob Niederer did a very commendable job leading the singing and opening exercises in Sunday School this week. We expect Bob will be our regular director to that phase of the Sunday school.

and rejoice that the young people are willing to share the responsibilities of the Lord's work.

Oscar Borchers led the adult group in a discussion during the Sunday school lesson period in the absence of Jerry McEvers.

Bro. Luter brought a very heart stirring message during morning worship, stressing the vast importance of the resurrection. The main text was taken from Matthew 28, where the record is given of Christ's victory over the tomb, and His challenger for us to go and tell all people and nations.

In the Sunday school teachers' meeting Tuesday evening, the immediate need for class rooms, teachers and more and smaller classes was discussed. As soon as materials for the movable partition can be obtained and installed the addition on the basement will be used as four class rooms. Three new classes will be added, and one former class omitted. New teachers expected to be on the staff are: Mrs. Bob Niederer, Mrs. Jerry McEvers, Sue Borchers and Pearl Leverton. Mrs. Fred Niederer will be teaching a different group also. Mrs. Underwood plans to assist in Junior Church rather than teach a class. It is indefinite at present, who will take the office of Sunday School secretary.

Plans are underway for further additions on the church. More room is becoming a greater necessity by the day.

Special numbers for the morning worship Easter service were a solo by Bob Luter, and a trio by Mrs. Rolly Hummel, Oscar and Sue Borchers.

Pearl Leverton.

Letters To The Editor

April 12, 1954.

Mr. John H. Peterson, Chairman Crawford County Chapter, NFIP Grayling, Michigan.

Dear John:

Please excuse my delay in answering your previous letter on the campaign and also the request for advance which we have received in this office and forwarded on to National Headquarters.

Because of the field trials I have found it impossible to meet with any of the chapter or campaign people in Northern Michigan recently. However, I expect to be able soon to call upon you and I will notify you in order that we may get together with Carroll Wert and other members of the chapter.

With regard to the request for advance, we have added on an estimate of chapter requirements for the next three months and I hope that New York will send this in the full amount. I will let you know when I hear from headquarters on this matter.

The campaign in Crawford County was very wonderful and Carroll Wert, yourself and all of the campaign workers are to be commended for this magnificent campaign.

In checking with the other State Representatives in Michigan and throughout the region, I find that Crawford County will probably be the number two county in the mid west in per capita contributions and certainly with a 100% increase over last year one of the top counties.

If there is anything that we may do for you from this office please write and let us know.

Sincerely yours,

Jon W. Dahl.

Lake Margrethe Home Extension Group Meets

Lake Margrethe Home Extension Group met April 8 at the home of Mrs. Signe Randolph. Officers were elected as follows:

Chairman, Mrs. Harry Young; vice chairman, Mrs. Richard Lovely; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Arthur Crouch; reporter, Mrs. John McMillan; council member, Mrs. Harold Clements; leaders, Mrs. Sam Collen and Mrs. William Lenkowski.

Mrs. Collens gave an interesting lesson on saving time and energy. Our next lesson will be on broiler meals on May 12, 11:30 with Mrs. Jerome Strong as hostess.

Mrs. John McMillan.

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(Courtesy Fish Hatchery)

April	High	Low
6	54	50
7	63	58
8	33	28
9	48	42
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12	53	49

(Courtesy, Geo. Schable)

April	Melted Snow Std.	Fall	On
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Our Weather

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

So They Stopped
Baiting Each Other

If you want to hear a real hassle, listen to Cob James and Whitey Baker on trout fishing sometime. You'd think it was more important than anything.

Cob favors dry flies. Whitey pooh-poohs anything but wet flies. Cob swears by a Fan-Wing Royal Coachman; Whitey won't hear of anything but Silver Doctor. And so it goes—they can't even get together on steel rods versus bamboo rods.

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Bits O' Talk

Chester Johnson spent a furlough with his parents, The Norman Johnston in Beaver Creek. He reported to Fort Knox, Kentucky on April 16 for advanced training.

The Eugene Collen family which has occupied the home of Mrs. Holger Schmidt for the winter moved to Lansing last week.

NOTICE—All grocery stores in this area have converted to sale of Hunter's Dairy milk in the convenient single service carton. We are sure you will find this single service carton a much easier method of purchasing milk at stores, as there is no bottle deposit involved, or the necessity of lug- ging bottles back and forth from your home to the grocery. Because of this no bottles will be accepted for refund after April 30th.

Hunter's Dairy
Mrs. Donald Orr and children, Mike, Pat and Mary of Traverse City spent a couple of days last week visiting her mother, Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and family.

Peter Jensen returned to his duties for the City of Grayling Wednesday of last week after a month's absence due to illness. During that time he was a patient at Mercy Hospital for a week, and then on the advice of his physician went to Harper Hospital, Detroit, for examination and treatment for some lung trouble. He is receiving further treatment here, and is feeling some improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Allen of Lansing visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allen and Mr. and Mrs. Angus Macaulay recently.

After their bowling game on April 8th, the members of Weaver's Bottled Gas Co. team were invited to the home of Mrs. Burton McWilliams in honor of Mrs. Leo Lovely. The hostess served a sumptuous lunch and carried out her table decorations in an Easter motif. Mrs. Lovely was presented with a gift from the group.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Low returned home last week after spending the winter in Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lemler have returned to their home at Lake Margrethe after spending the winter in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Sam Barrett of Detroit was at his cabin on the AuSable River for a few days and entertained three gentlemen guests.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hull spent Easter in Gibraltar, Mich., visiting

the latter's mother, Mrs. Jennie Pinsen.

Mr. and Mrs. George Skingley had all of their family home for Easter. The Vernon Gardiners and family of Wyandotte, the Robert Skingleys of Plymouth and the Ernest Rokos family of Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hull had as guests on Wednesday of last week, the latter's cousin, Miss Ardis Myhrs of Berkeley, Calif., who was accompanied by Thomas Clingensmith of Birmingham, Mich. Miss Myhrs, who is chairman of the Beverly-San Fran-

cisco area of Women's Republican clubs, was en route to her home after attending a meeting in Washington, D. C.

Joseph Kessler has left for Detroit, where he is to board his boat to work on the Lakes for the summer.

Mrs. James Lynch returned home last week after spending the winter months in Bay City with relatives.

Mrs. Charles Feldhauser and son Paul William of Thompson have been spending the past two days here visiting her parents, the William Golnickis, and also the Paul Feldhausers. Mr. Feldhauser will be coming to accompany them home Sunday. Other recent guests at the Golnicki home were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James McGaffigan of Lansing.

Anyone wishing dogs disposed of call Grayling Police, 4621. No charge.

The Warren Vallads of Kalkaska attended the dedication services of the Free Methodist Church on Sunday, April 11 and while here visited the Edwin Bowens.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Allen had as a recent guest the latter's sister, Mrs. Ford Sanders of Alma, also Rev. and Mrs. Nelson Kennedy and son, Richard, of Hillman were callers.

Carl's Beauty Shop was moved during the week end into the building that formerly housed the Cardinal Grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McClain and two sons of Detroit spent the Easter week end visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. McClain at Lake Margrethe and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaMotte entertained the members of their family, who reside here, at a beaver dinner at their home recently. Those present included their three daughters, Mrs. Arthur Clough, Sr., Mrs. Lawrence Balch and Mrs. LeRoy Akers, their grandchildren and great grandchildren, making up a group of 21.

The Garrett Bailey family visited Mrs. Bailey's mother, Mrs. Opal Slagin in Gaylord recently.

Our Gang

Our Gang met at the home of Mrs. Richard Lovely, Thursday evening, April 8. Eleven members responded to roll call.

The business session included report of sick committee. Our president, Eureka Stephan is out of the hospital but still unable to be with us.

It was decided that we send a gift to Alice Brown for her birthday, which comes this month.

The next place of meeting will be April 29th at the home of Mrs. Eugene Papendick in the evening. Refreshment committee will be Doris Palmer and the hostess.

Several interesting readings were given by Mrs. Barton Wakeley.

Games were enjoyed with prize awards to Mrs. Papendick, Mrs. Hattie Moshier, Mrs. Percy Budd, Mrs. Earl Broadbent. The penny prize was won by Mrs. Moshier. Mrs. Barton Wakeley.

L. N. L. Celebrates
39th Anniversary

Recently Camp Wagner No. 10, L. N. L. celebrated its 39th anniversary at the Grange Hall with some thirty-five members and guests attending a 6:30 dinner.

Tables were very prettily decorated in the patriotic theme.

Following the dinner the evening past time was cards. Pinocchio was played with the high scores being won by Ed Cooper and Pearl Mathews. Low prizes were won by Marge Leslie and Paul Feldhauser. The penny prize was won by Mrs. Frank Serven.

The beautifully decorated anniversary cake made to represent an Easter basket was the art of Mrs. Warren Hatfield.

All left looking forward to the 40th anniversary next year.

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Water level, Apr. 15, '53, 1133.95 ft.

Maximum level for period of

record, April 5, 1943, 1135.99 ft.

Minimum level for period of

record, Sept. 24-27, 1948, 1133.57 ft.

Lake Margrethe
Water Level

(Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)

Period of record, Nov. 12, 1942

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Team Standings

za Grill	36
son Chevrolet	33½
ke's Keg	32
ringer's	31½
Sable River Inn	30
illiac Overall	29
ffer's	28
is Jewelers	23½
west Linen	21
erry's	18
son's Motel	18
ish Motors	15½
vidual high series: Soren	
2, Smock 609, Sheppard 603.	
vidual high single: Soren	
8, Long 239, Smock 236,	
236.	
n high series: Baringer's	
2614, Pfeiffer's 2607.	
n high single: Baringer's	
938, Pfeiffer's 909.	
five averages: Dean 168.65	
1, 167.47, Denton 167.27,	
166.22, Milnes 165.8.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team Standings

Tyng Bow Hunters	37
ng's	32
re Oil	32
ar Archery	31
edway "79"	27

7 Cadillac Overall	26
8 American Legion	23
9 Kiwanis	21
10 Strohs	20
11 B-C-D	18
12 K. of C.	11
Team high series: Long's Rest,	
2439, Long's 2415, Cadillac Over-	
all 2407.	

Team high single: Kiwanis 802,	
Long's 855, Speedway 856.	
Individual high series: Hocks	
554, Cornell 552, Allen 537.	
Individual high single: Moggo	
216, Cornell 206, Dean 205.	
High five averages: Dean 171.32	
Cornell 171.10, Kelly 170.10, Jar-	
min 167.32, Breitenstein 167.60.	

WOMEN'S LEAGUE

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE

Team Standings

1 Sorenson IGA	72½
2 Alley Kats	68½
3 Plaza Grill	67½
4 Tip Top Togs	67
5 Weavers	64½
6 Shirlee Shoppe	62
7 AuSable Ins.	61
8 Mac's Drug	59
9 Sorenson Spt. Gds.	54
10 B-C-D	53
11 Bear Archery	38
12 Scott's Bar	38
Team high series: Mac's Drug	
2239, Shirlee Shoppe 2194, Plaza	
Grill 2191.	
Team high single: Mac's Drug	
786, Shirlee Shoppe 768, Soren-	
son IGA 749.	
Individual high series: H. Jan-	
kowiak 504, S. Papendick 494,	
Ruby Reetz 483.	

WEDNESDAY NIGHT LEAGUE

Team Standings

Spikes	72
Avalanche	67
Wayside	65
Hansons	63½
Dawsons	59½
Burns	58½
Olsons	57
Johnson Oil	53
Horseshoe Lake Inn	52
Tufts	50½
Grayling Mercantile	49
Shoppenagins Inn	45
Team high game: Hansons 712,	
Spikes 711, Wayside 700.	
Team 3 game high: Spikes 2104,	
Hansons 2041, Tufts 222.	

Midget League

Team Standings In League	
1st Screw Five, 2nd Meatballs,	
3rd Collies.	
Team Event:	
1st Meatballs 2329, 2nd Collies	
2298, 3rd Hot Rods 2227.	

Doubles	
1st Dol Kolka and Ed Skinner,	
1016; 2nd R. Moore and S. Beldia	
948; 3rd J. Parkinson and L. Cox	
947, 4th C. Gould and L. Malonen	

Singles	
L. Malonen 530, B. Martin 510,	
Ed Skinner 503, M. Wakeley 492,	
K. Lazarowicz 484.	
All Events	

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 19th day of April, 1954.

Present: Hon. Robert F. Neafie, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Cecilia Zita Borgerson, deceased.

John A. Donahue, administrator, having filed in said Court, his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment of the residue of said estate,

It is Ordered that the 17th day of May, 1954, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Robert F. Neafie,
Judge of Probate.

A true copy.
Robert F. Neafie,
Judge of Probate. 22-29-6-13

COUNTY NEWS

Brownie Scout News

13 Brownie Scouts met Thursday, April 13 with their leader, Mrs. Raymond Brown. The purses were completed and passed out to the girls. They have brown bottoms with white uppers. The girls were proud to carry them with their Easter togs. Mrs. Brown served lunch.

Miss Eleanor Tacla has been taking pre-school information for Mrs. Gorman.

Earl Brown of Owosso stopped off at his cabin last week after a fishing trip which proved unsuccessful.

Mary Howard and children returned home last Thursday, after a two weeks stay with relatives at Clio, Mich.

Fredric schoolmates of Ruthie Papenfus were sorry to learn she underwent surgery at Mercy Hospital, Grayling, and all wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Senseabel, the former Mrs. Gray of Brownie cabins now of Freeland, visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown recently.

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